

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHERN DIVISION

CLIFTON SHIPMAN,)
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Plaintiff,)
)
v.) CASE NO. 2:06-CV-18-WKW
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JO ANNE B. BARNHART,)
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL)
SECURITY,)
)
Defendant.)

ORDER

On January 4, 2007, the Magistrate Judge filed a Recommendation (Doc. # 22) to which the plaintiff objected (Doc. # 24). The defendant filed a reply (Doc. # 25) to the Objection. After an independent and *de novo* review of the record, it is the ORDER, JUDGMENT and DECREE of the Court that:

1. The Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Doc. # 22) is ADOPTED;
2. The decision of the Commissioner is AFFIRMED; and
3. The case is dismissed with prejudice with costs taxed against the plaintiff.

An appropriate judgment will be entered.

Done this 13th day of February, 2007.

/s/ W. Keith Watkins
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE